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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 5415

GOTOH et al.

Art Unit: 2857

Application No.: 10/082,055

Examiner: Edward Raymond

Filed: February 26, 2002

Attorney Dkt. No.: 100021-00074

For: TEST CIRCUIT AND SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT  
EFFECTIVELY CARRYING OUT VERIFICATION OF CONNECTION  
OF NODES

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

**Introductory Comments**

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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March 30, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.